not prohibited by this section and thereby shall obtain any spirituous liquors, and the person selling the same shall be able to prove, at his trial, such misrepresentation and that he used due precaution before disposing of the liquor as aforesaid to said minor or other person, then the person so selling to the said minor or other person falsely representing himself shall be acquitted of the charge; provided, that the act of any agent under this section shall not be binding upon his principal, if the Court or jury shall believe that said act was committed against the bona fide instructions of said principal; the minor or other person obtaining spirituous liquor by such misrepre-. sentation of his age or other facts shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon trial and conviction before any justice of the peace shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than ten dollars and the costs of his prosecution, or upon failure to pay such fine and costs shall be committed to jail for a period not exceeding ten days.

SEO. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 13, 1902.

## CHAPTER 42.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 24 of Article 7 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Carroll County," sub-title "County Treasurer and Clerk to the County Commissioners."

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That section 24 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Carroll County," sub-title "County Treasurer and Repeal. Clerk to the County Commissioners," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows:

24. The said treasurer and clerk shall be entitled to such compensation as the County Commissioners may think proper, Compensanot exceeding fifteen hundred dollars per annum; he shall receive and pay over according to the directions of law or the order of the County Commissioners the proceeds of all taxes levied in said county, and shall keep full accounts of all monies received and paid by him, and of all matters relating to the duties of his office, with all vouchers relating thereto; he shall attend all meetings of the County Commissioners, make minutes of and record their proceedings, and perform such other duties as they shall from time to time require of him; he shall furnish, under seal or otherwise, to individuals.

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